R. M. WHITE, EDITOR.

SHALL THE MINORITY RULE? The Presidential question is now reaching a grisss. As to what to the ultimate end of the mat-, it is rather difficult to foresee. v ... and revolutionary anpeements from republican beac ters at Washington City, foreow trouble. One of the evils o time is partyiem. It has now ed its greatest extremes, and s there is a divergence by the e from its beaten path the probability is, that the result e most serious. For the past years it has been predicted se republican party, if beater polls, would not willingly der its government into the of their victors, and the fraud heming lately resorted to in ana, Florida and South Caroiave only been means to an By the'r infamous conduct now pretend that Hayes has smoted, and that any attempt part of congress or the people blish any other result will be rebellion. Rebel and traiter been watchwords of the party wer; and they have proven fer ul engines in the production t masses of the people have at learned to look with some sus-Stucel existence. Have we come to read over. this that the party in power being largely in the minority can seize the some of government, marshall the - military and naval forces and compol aubmission on the part of the majority? If this be so, where is cer-boasted liberty? If the democratic party were in power and chould attempt such a course, it would be the duty of every patriot to burl it from place and blot out as name from the arnals of Amerhistory forever. Can less be said of the kepublican party?

Have our people no higher coneption of our government than the merpetuate of a party? Have we no talk loudly about fighting for prinmetriotiem beyond a yarty?

and children in this country demand with them is to bide their stealing the applications of the legal holder of the thunder tones our devotion to a for the last eight years. principal far above all party considerations. In our madness we are in a fair way to forget that we have laws for our government, and when we ignore them and call into requisition military fore , we are fixing the way that leads to chains and Clavery and the time will not be disant when some one will seize on the opportunity and the people tired of termod will quietly submit to dictation and the proud structure of free government once the boast of our people and the pride of the world will go down amidst the blackness of darkness forever. Be. fore this is done let us in mercy to curselves and in veneration of our patriot fathers remove all trace of statues that perpetuate their blessed memorine and let the pall of darkness settle down forever, on that once "Land of the free and home of the things out of the ground." brave." We cannot think that such will be our fate.

May God in his mercy preserve wives there, sir. our people for more glerious ends in the furere, and permit us to trans mit the blessings of our government to millions unborn.

St. Leuis Time: Hat Lath no

A Mistaken 1460

It is a mistaker idea that there no room for country newspapers. There is room for them, a need of them, a support for them, and an independent one, too, A live, spicy local paper, which reports faithfully he news of the section where it is published, and discusses fairly and with decent ability the local questions which arise in the community, will be able to pay its way, and its patrons will be willing to pay for it. The effort which is made oftentimes to establish a paper in a small town proves conclusively that the seed of it is felt. Those people can get all the daily and weekly papers they want, but they are not satisfied with them. There is much wonderful news in them, to be sure, but nothing about themselves, their town, their deings, etc. They feel the need of something else, of some bright. newsy, little paper that will gossip of home affairs and mirror them. selves in its pages. Are they ungrateful and penurious in their treat. ment of the country publisher? Perhaps they are. But, purhaps, too, it is often the publisher's fault. Does he do the very best he can? Is he honest, industrious, candid, fair, and temperate? If he can anwer these queries in the affirmative we believe he will always succeed.

In many localities the people need to be educated up to this true standrength to their cause. That the ard of local journalism. Many of them think the Weekly Tribune or World is vastly cheaper than their on on those threadbare illusions little town paper, that the World or low without question. During Tribune is all they need. It is the late campaign the bloody shirt country publisher's business to show came a stench in the nostrils of them that they are mistaken-that cent men; and its most valiant his own paper is as cheap as the whibitors gently bound it up and large city ones, because it is as cheap said it away in the grave of ultimate as it can be made-and that it is brave men composing the democraticews it contains. It may take some ic majority have proclaimed that time to do this, but it can be done Samuel J. Tilden is duly elected and is being done wherever good hind foot white, no other marks. Alpresident of the United States for local newspapers are published. Sorryears from the 4th of March Many a farmer goes home with the ceivable and appraised at \$25; the mext. whilet republicans routed on city weekly and his local paper nesfield, and varquished in its tled peacefully together in the same strong holds, still clutching to the pocket, taking the one for its news under my hand this Nov. 29th, 1876. most of power stands ready to throt of foreign affairs, and the other for so public epizion and drug a free its gossip about things at home, and scople down to the dust and degra- if the latter is a really good paper, Astion of elavery. And this for the we venture that it eatches the wife's mere purpose of perpetuating its po- eye first and every item carefully did execute and deliver to the under-

> Tilden, the leader; or, Hayes the led? Which shall it be? Why the people decided that question most emphatically on Nov. 7, 1876, in ft. ver of the great leader of Reform. Fifteen acres, the south part of the Revolutions never go backwards, south half of lot one of northwest when the masses rise against

> If Congress decides for Tilden, all right. If for Hayes, all right. The section six (6,) 80 acres; and the north powers of hell can't prevent the choice of Congress from being in-half of the south quarter of section five (5,) 80 acres, all in township fifty ident for the next four years.

Radical journals and radical thieves ciple, when none know better than The teeming millions of women themselves that the principal thing thereon as therein specified, then all

> The Democratic majority alone in the United States, could wipe out Grant and his fine haired soldiers of redemption of the said William H. gathered around him from the gov. Kerr and Marena S. Kerr his wife. erument offices and Union teague their heirs, assigns, &c., therein, at public vendue; and

Progress is making tremendous strides in the Black Hills. Men therein specified, then the whole may P. The undersigned, James F. Hall wear collars in Custer City, and there is a capary bird at Dead

When is an election not an elecvoters are against the Radical party.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis and her

Two acquaintances meeting on a wet day, one greeted the other with - Beautiful rain this. Fetching ions of said deed of trust, I shall pro-

A blasted lyre. U. S. Grant. Few railway accidents are reported of late. In fact, it is gener-

present doing a smashing business.

the country are denouncing the laise olaim set up that R. B. Hayes is elected president.

Peter Cuoper polled 71,250 votes

If your office seems cold and the fire in the grate does not rouse itself up to suit you, don't awear, but imagine yourself a street-car driver who never sees a fire.

Janury 8th the voice of the people will be heard.

U. S. GRANT -"I don't care s damn for the supreme court.

It Grant ever gets sober we would ike to know what he thinks of himself in the morning.

The telegraph and the associated press have been two of the most powerful agents of the republican

Hampton's official majority in South Carolina, as certified to by J H. Hayes, the secretary of state, is

A mass convention of the democraev of Ohio will be called to meet at Columbus January 8th. It is expected that 100,000 will attend.

The following is the oath Govern or Wade Hampton took:

"I recognize the constitution and laws of the United States as suprome over the constitution and laws o any state, and I swear to maintain them both."

In Ray county it is hard to determine which is the more plentiful,

Several steamboats sunk at St Louis, last Tuesday morning, by the breaking up of the ice.

## STRAY NOTICE.

Taken up by John J. Canada, of Saling township, in Audrain county, Mo., and posted before the under- and so one iron gray filly two years old. 15 hands high, no other marks perhorse is appraised at \$15. The said strays were appraised by John Ridg-way and Mildred Ridgway, given 36-3t. GEO. W. HOLLAWAY, J. P.

HRUSTEE SALE.

Marena S. Kerr his wife, of the county of Audrain and state of Missouri. of trust, dated the 13th of February. premises situated in the county of Audrain, State of Missouri, to-wit: quarter of section six, and the west half of the northeast quarter of section six (6,) except fifteen acres off the northeast part—68 acres; and the east half of the south quarter of west quarter of the southeast quarter of section six (6,) 4C acres and the west two (52), range eight west, contain ing 288 acres, more or less, to secure the payment of a certain promissory

mote in said deed of trust described.

Whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case of default in payment of said note and the interest said promissory note, after having complied with the provisions of said deed and the directions therein made, the undersigned may lawfully sell the premises and all the rights and equity

Wheseas, said deed of trust further provides that in case of default in State of Missouri, county of Au-

tion? When the majority of the default in the payment thereof, de-

daughter will remain abroad during the winter.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested and in compliance with the provisceed to sell the above described p. em-

ally conceded that no roads are at indebtedness, together with costs and spot on the forehead, white belly, Saturday, the Soth day of Dec., 1876, expenses of executing this trust; and also branded on the left hip with the offer said lands for sale at the court

Go to T. T. Morris' for fresh oysters TRUSI RE'S SALE.

Whereas, James M. Sims and Louisa Sims his wife, of the county of
Made at the March term, 1876, of said
Audrain and State of Missouri, did
execute and deliver to the undersignexecute and deliver to the undersignexecute and deliver to the undersigned as trustee, their certain deed of obedience to said order, on Monday, trust, dated 12th Oct., A. D. 1874, rs the 8th day of January next, A. D., corded in the recorder's office of Au | 1877, at the east door of the court drain county, Missouri, in book "K" house in the city of Mexico, in said on page 190, conveying the following county, and during the session of the described premises, situated in the Probate Court held in and for said county of Audrain, State of Missouri, county expose to sale at public and to-wit: The northeast quarter of sec- sion. all the right, title and interes tion number sixteen (16,) 160 acres. of Geo. W. Goddard, deceased, of, Also the northwest quarter of the and to the following described re northwest quarter of section fifteen estate in Audrain county. Missour (15,) 40 acres; also west half of the to-wit: North half of east half southwest quarter of section ten (10,) southeast quarter of southwest que 80 acres; also northeast quarter of ter of section 25, township 52, ras southwest quarter of section ten (10,) 9 west, and lots 1 and 2, except 40 acres; also west half of the south acres off of the east side of nor east quarter of the south west west quarter section 31, township quarter of section ten (10,) 20 range 8 west. Terms of sale cash acres. Also east half of the southeast hand. quarter of section nine (a,) 80 acre . | Admr' estate of Geo. W. Godd Also south east quarter of the deceased. north west quarter of section nine (9,) 40 acres. Also north west part of the north east quarter of the south west quarter of section nine (9,) 24 rooms and nearly four acres of gre acres. All in township fifty-one (51,) highly ornamented with shrubbery range nine (9,) west containing in all fruit trees, good barn and other

of trust described. Whereas, said deed of trust pro vides that in case of default in payment of said note and the interest thereon, as therein specified then on the applications of the legal holder of said promissory note, after having complied with the provisions of said deed and the derections therein made, the undersigned may lawfully sell the premises and all the rights and equity of redeinption of the said James M. Sims and Louisa Sims, his wife, their heirs, assigns &c, therein at public vendue;

Whereas said trust deed further provides that in case of default in payment of principal or interest as therein specified then the whole shall and may become due at once and payable, and

Whereas, there is interest now past due and payable on said note and remains wholly unpaid, and the legal holder thereof, has, by reason of the default in the payment thereof, declared the whole of said indebtedness and interest thereon to time of sale due and pavable immediately:

deed of trust

power and authority in me vested. and in compliance with the provisions of said deed of trust, I shall premises at the east door of the court State of Missouri, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand

Whereas, William H. Kerr and Thursday, the 25th day of January,

A. D. 1877, between the hours of signed as trustee, their certain deed nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, A. D. 1875, recorded in book "K" on to satisfiv the said indebtedness, topage 301 it seg. in the recorder's of gether with costs and expenses of fice of Audrain county, Missonri, executing this trust, and will execute conveying the following described and deliver to the purchaser a deed of conveyance in fee of the premises sold as provided in said deed of trust. WM. W. TUTTLE, Trustee. Macfirlane & Trimble, attys. 35.5t

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Mexico, Nov. 30, 1873. n32-tf

STRAY NOTICE.

payment of principal or interest as drain; posteu before J. C. Moore, J and shall become due and payable at and C. B. Clayton, appraisers appointed and sworn fully, fairly and Whereas, there is interest now past impartially to appraise a certain mule due and payable on said note, and re- taken up as a stray by George W. mains wholly unpaid, and the legal Brooks of Cuiver township in Auholder thereof has by reason of the drain county, certify that we have viewed said stray and find the same office for Audrain county, Missouri, clared the whole of said indebtedness to be a bay mare mule, fifteen hands in book I, page 609 of mortgages, and interest thereon to time of sale high, two years old past, has a small conveyed to the undersigned in trust due and payable immediately; and split in the left ear; no other marks Whereas, the holder of said prom- or brands perceivable, and do appraise said stray at forty dollars. James F. Hall, C. B. Clayton appraisers. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Nov. 1876 J. C. MOCRE, J. P.

STRAY NOTICE.

Taken up by P. C. Skelly of Linn township, county of Audrain, Stat-Thursday, January 25, '77, estray, two steers; one a three year old white steer, some red hairs in the between the hours of nine o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to satisfy said indebtedness, together with costs and spot. On the forehood, white face, red said deed of trust, will on The most unmitigate | builded to be of the premises brands perceivable. The white one sourt, between the lands of the premises brands perceivable. The white one sourt, between the lands of the premises angeled at a core delegation of in the foregoing

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

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bate Court held in and for the county D. E. SHEA.

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30 3m C. W. BAKER, Age

STRAY NOTICE.

Taken up by Thoms P. Long Sailing township in Audrain cou Mo., and posted before the ur signed, justice of the peace for county, as a stray, one yearling steer medium size; color pale red with DR white spots on him, marked with a crop off of the left ear, split in the right. No brands perceivable; and appraised at fifteen dollars by Jesse Vance and John Vance. Given under my hand this Nov. 20th, 1876. G. W. HOLLOWAY, J. P.

Trustee's Sale.

Wartha Bincoe his ife,of becounty of Audrain, and State . f Missou-i; did execute and deliver to the u. dersigned as trustee, their certain and of unas dated September 5th, 1874, recorded in the Recorder's office of Audrain county, Missouri, in Book "K," on page 157 conveying the following described premises situated in said county of Audrain, and State of Missouri, to-wit :

The south half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29.) 80 acres; also site we, and three hundred thousand worth the price of it for the home signed justice of the peace for said Whereas, the holder of said promistownship, two head of horses, one sory note has requested that said the northwest quarter of section twenty. ToBACCOS in this market. two year old prown horse, 14 1-2 premises be sold, and the proceeds of hands high, left fore foot and right said sale applied as provided in said one (51) range ten (10) west, containing one hundred acres, more or less, to secure the payment of a certain bond or promissory note, bearing even date with said deed, and therein described.

And whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case of default in the payment of proceed to sell the above described said bond or promissory note and the in- 20 Years Clerk of Circuit Court and Record of the court terest thereon as therein specified then out terest thereon as therein specified, then on house in this county of Audrain and the application of the legal holder thereof, after having complied with the directions of said trust deed, the undersigned shall and may lawfully sell the said prem ises and all the rights and equity of re-demption of the said William S. Blincoe and Martha Blincoe his wife, their heirs, assigna, &c., therein, at public vendue; And

Whereas, said trust deed further pro vides that in case of default in payment of principal or interest as therein speci- Font Room Ove Savings Bank fied, then the whole of said principal sum thereby secured end the interest to the sime of sale, according to the tenor and effect of the said indebtedness, shall and may at once become due and pavable, and the said premises be sold in like manner and with the same effect as if the .aid indebteduess had matured; and, whereas, the interest on said promissory note is now due by the terms of said deed and remains wholly unpaid, and the legal holder thereof has, by reason of the default in the payment of said interest, declared the whole of said indebtedness and interest hereon to time of sale, due and payable immediately, and whereas, the holder of said indetiedness has requested that said premises be sold, and the proceeds of said sale applied as provided in said deed of

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested, and in com-pliance with the terms of said deed of trust I shall proceed to sell the above described premises at the east door of the court house in the county of Audrain and State of Missouri, at public vendue to the high-est bidder, for cash in hand, on

January,

1877, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forencon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day to satisfy the above indebtedness, together with the costs of executing this trust and will execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed of conveyance in fee of the premises sold, as provided in said deed of trust.

WM. W. TUTTLE,

Macfarlane & Trimble, Atty's.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Lucy J. Pool and her husdeed dated the 8th day of August, attend at funerals. 1873, and recorded in the recorder's the following lands, situate, lying andbeing in the county of Audrain Practical Upholsters andState of Missouri, to-wit: Northeast quarter of northeast

quarter section 8, township 51, range 10. Southeast quarter of northeast quarter section 8, township 51, range 10-31-2 acres excepted in the southwest corner of the last named tract for church purposes-and containing in all 76 1-2 acres, to secure the pay-Second friend, disconsolately— ises at the east door of the court house of Missouri, on the 14th day of No- ment of a certain note therein desin the county of Audrain and State vember, 1876, and posted before the cribed; and whereas, said note has "Hope not, sir, hope not; got two of Missouri, at public vendes, to the undersigned justice of the peace highest bidder for cash in hand, on within and for Aadrain county, as has been made in the parment of said

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